

PEARSON, J.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

DONALD E. BUTCHER,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,  
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL  
SECURITY,

Defendant.

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) CASE NO. 5:12CV0021  
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) JUDGE BENITA Y. PEARSON  
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) **MEMORANDUM OF OPINION**  
) **AND ORDER**

An Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) denied Plaintiff Donald E. Butcher’s applications for Supplemental Security Income and Disability Insurance Benefits after a hearing in the above-captioned case. That decision became the final determination of the Commissioner of Social Security when the Appeals Council denied the request to review the ALJ’s decision. The claimant sought judicial review of the Commissioner’s decision, and this Court referred the case to Magistrate Judge George J. Limbert for preparation of a report and recommendation pursuant to [28 U.S.C. § 636](#) and [Local Rule 72.2\(b\)\(1\)](#). The Magistrate Judge submitted a Report and Recommendation ([ECF No. 14](#)) recommending that the Court reverse the Commissioner’s decision and remand the case for reevaluation and further analysis of the weight assigned to the other source opinions in the record.

[Fed. R. Civ. P. 72\(b\)\(2\)](#) provides that objections to a report and recommendation must be filed within 14 days after service. On August 14, 2012, the Commissioner filed a Response to

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the Report and Recommendation ([ECF No. 15](#)), which states that the Commissioner will not be filing objections. Furthermore, Plaintiff has not filed any objections, evidencing satisfaction with the Magistrate Judge's recommendations. Any further review by this Court would be a duplicative and inefficient use of the Court's limited resources. [Thomas v. Arn, 728 F.2d 813 \(6th Cir. 1984\)](#), [aff'd, 474 U.S. 140 \(1985\)](#); [Howard v. Secretary of Health and Human Services, 932 F.2d 505 \(6th Cir. 1991\)](#); [United States v. Walters, 638 F.2d 947, 949-50 \(6th Cir. 1981\)](#).

Accordingly, the report and recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is hereby adopted. The Court reverses the decision of the Commissioner of Social Security and remands this case to the Commissioner for reevaluation and further analysis of the weight assigned to the other source opinions in the record.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

August 15, 2012  
Date

/s/ Benita Y. Pearson  
Benita Y. Pearson  
United States District Judge